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-----Description of H.R.3066  
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Measure, Sponsor and Short Title:

H.R.3066 by MCCOLLUM (R-FL) -- National Security and Classified Information  
Protection Act of 1987

Official Title (caption):

A bill to amend Title 18, United States Code, to make the knowing disclosure of classified information by Federal officers and employees a criminal offense.

Introduced on Thursday, July 30, 1987

Cosponsors:

Currently 5 total (0 Democrats, 5 Republicans)  
Most recent addition was on Thursday, July 30, 1987

Committee Referrals:

HOUSE COMMITTEE ON THE JUDICIARY

Committee Schedules Pending for this Measure:

Currently, none

Most Recent Action:

07/30/87 -- In The HOUSE

Introduced by MCCOLLUM (R-FL)

Referred to HOUSE COMMITTEE ON THE JUDICIARY

LEGI-SLATE's Subject Keywords for this Measure:

-CIVIL, GOVERNMENT SERVICE -PUBLIC EMPLOYEES AND OFFICIALS

100TH CONGRESS  
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# H. R. 3066

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JULY 30, 1987

Mr. McCOLLUM (for himself, Mr. CHENEY, Mr. BROOMFIELD, Mr. HYDE, Mr. COURTER, and Mr. DEWINE) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary

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## A BILL

To amend title 18, United States Code, to make the knowing disclosure of classified information by Federal officers and employees a criminal offense.

1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*  
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.

4 This Act may be cited as the "National Security and  
5 Classified Information Protection Act of 1987".

6 SEC. 2. SECTION 798 AMENDMENT.

7 (a) IN GENERAL.—Section 798 of title 18, United  
8 States Code, is amended by inserting after subsection (a) the  
9 following:

1       “(b) Whoever, being or having been an officer or em-  
2 ployee of the Federal Government, knowingly discloses, com-  
3 municates, furnishes, transmits, publishes, or otherwise  
4 makes available to an unauthorized person, any classified in-  
5 formation, document, or material to which such person had  
6 access in the course of that Federal Government office or  
7 employment, shall be fined under this title or imprisoned not  
8 more than twenty years, or both.”.

9       (b) TECHNICAL AND CONFORMING AMENDMENTS.—  
10 Section 798 of title 18, United States Code, is amended—

11           (1) in subsection (b), by striking out “subsection  
12       (a)” and inserting “subsections (a) and (b)” in lieu  
13       thereof; and

14           (2) by redesignating subsections (b) and (c) as sub-  
15       sections (c) and (d), respectively.

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